vent to their faint calls, which sound more like the chirping of insects than the calls of frogs.

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ON A YOUNG BLACK ANGEL FISH.

A *Pomacanthus arcuatus,* 3 or 4 inches long, taken near San Antonio Bridge, Porto Rico, last July, in a biological survey of that island which is being forwarded by the N. Y. Academy of Sciences and the Insular Government, had bright yellow, instead of whitish, cross bands. Yellow bands are then, not diagnostic of *paru,* perhaps they are ordinarily yellow in sufficiently small *arcuatus.*

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